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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Burkard Otto HERBERT et al. )  
Application No. : 10/540,209 )  
Filed : June 20, 2005 )  
For : DEVICES FOR TREATING AND CONVEYING A )  
STRIP OF MATERIAL AND METHOD FOR )  
REGULATING THESE DEVICES )

**SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.97 (b) (3) the material as set forth on the enclosed PTO/SB/08b form is brought to the attention of the Examiner.

A Search Report was issued by the European Patent Office in a corresponding European application on November 4, 2005. A copy of that Search Report is enclosed. The two documents listed in that Search Report, but not on the enclosed PTO/SB/08a form, are already of record in the subject U.S. patent application. They were cited in the Information Disclosure Statement that was filed with the application.

U.S. patent No. 5,855,336 is in the English language. No discussion thereof is required.



Entry of this material into the file of the subject application, and its consideration by the

Examiner is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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